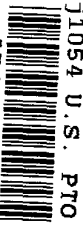


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Re: New U.S. Patent Appln.
Our Ref: 3036/50214

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

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entitled: IMPROVEMENTS IN OR RELATING TO SWITCHING DEVICES

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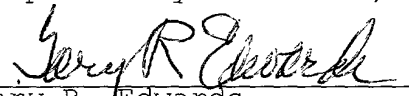
1. Specification, including 2 claim (pages 1-11).
2. 3 Sheets of drawings showing Figs. 1-3.
3. X Declaration and Power of Attorney (unexecuted/1 page).
4. X Assignment of the invention to ROKE MANOR RESEARCH LIMITED.
5. Priority is being claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119 and 37 C.F.R. §1.55 based on Priority Documents 0018328.5, filed in Great Britain on 27 July 2000 and 0024468.1, filed in Great Britain on 06 October 2000.
6. X Preliminary Amendment.
7. The filing fee has been calculated after entry of the Preliminary Amendment as shown below:

Basic Fee				\$355/710 =	\$710.00
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Multiple Dependent Claim Presented				\$135/270 =	\$
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